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11. (C) Per reftel A request and as a supplement to response reftel B, Embassy Athens offers the following additional information on Greece-Cuba relations in the areas of trade and investment.

12. (C) According to the Cuba Desk at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MFA), the bilateral legal framework between Greece and Cuba consists of the following agreements: (a) Agreement on the Promotion and Mutual Protection of Investments (1997); and (b) Agreement on Economic and Technological Cooperation (1998). In addition, Post's records and public information found on the MFA's website indicate that the two countries have also signed the following agreements: (a) Educational Agreement (1983); (b) Agreement on the Mutual Encouragement and Protection of Investments (1996); and (c) Air Cooperation Agreement (1998).

13. (C) With respect to investments that Greek businesses have made in Cuba, the MFA has informed Post that they do not track this information. The MFA does not think that Greek businesses have made any large-scale investments, but they cannot confirm this with certainty as Greek businesses are not required to file information with the GoG regarding their foreign investments.
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